

RALEIGH IN BRIEF.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS IN AND AROUND THE CAPITAL.

Short Items of News Gathered on the Fly by the Chronicle's Reporters.

Some elegant Germans are booked for next week.

The Supreme court closes its present term with this week.

The receipts of cotton in this market yesterday were about four hundred bales.

Plans are being drawn for remodeling and opening up the east end of the market building.

He trod on her dress, and the tearing gave him a real sudden start; He judged from her face and her bearing That he had broken her heart.

Steps are on foot for the formation of a tri-state base ball league, and it is understood that Raleigh will be asked to join in.

A large number of the State University and Wake Forest boys were in the city yesterday returning home for the holidays.

The January term of Wake superior court will be a busy one. There are about twenty-five prisoners in jail to be dealt with.

The sixty new sun vapor street lamps have arrived. They are now at the depot waiting for the contractor to come and put them up.

The furniture in the handsome residence of Chas. D. Upchurch was sold yesterday at public auction by Col. A. W. Shaffer. Very fair prices were realized on everything offered for sale.

The unfortunate don't want your pity. They want your hand and your heart, not your sighs and your tears. Mr. J. T. Pullen, secretary of the city relief committee, is ready to receive contributions.

"It is interesting, very interesting," said a young business man yesterday, "to watch the business going on here now. The volume is simply stupendous. You never saw anything like it. Everything and everybody is busy, very busy."

The Asheville delegation is returning home after having attended a rousing convention and seeing some weather such as Bill Nye says the sunny south only can produce—namely—snow eight inches deep accompanied by a blizzardish hurricane.

The Yadkin railroad, a branch of the Richmond & Danville system, will be opened for freight and passenger trains and traffic between Salisbury and the Stanly county line (seventeen miles) to day. The Richmond and Danville is evidently hunting the "long leaved pine."

Don't omit all possible precautions for safety. Aim rather to be a safe, sagacious gunner than a brilliant one. The one reputation you can keep as long as you can carry a gun, and the other you cannot keep to the end under any circumstances. Choose, therefore, the most enduring.

Nine marriage licenses were issued from the office of the register of deeds yesterday. One whole family evidently got ready to take upon them the yoke of double cussedness, for one fellow procured a marriage license for himself, another for his brother and another for his sister.

Among the inmates in the county jail are the four men who robbed and very nearly killed Mr. L. R. Gill some weeks ago. They perpetrated this crime while on a drunken spree. They are very penitent, and have fully realized the enormity of their crime. They sent a message to Mr. Gill asking if he would come to see them, and in response Mr. Gill came to the city yesterday and spent some time with them in jail.

R. D. MacLean appeared as "Spartacus" at the Grand Opera House last night, for the first time in Minneapolis. Mr. MacLean fills the part perfectly in its physical requirements and his feeling and expression are excellent. In his agony at the news of the death of his wife his acting is the most vivid, though his tenderness to the Senora is equally well presented as the other extreme of his power. The part of Senora brings Miss Prescott but little before the audience, but her presentation of a gentle and strong woman is so perfect that she leaves a deep impression.—Minneapolis Tribune.

Reserved seats on sale at Cross & Linehan's clothing store, Fayetteville street.

Funerals.

The residence of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Rogers was filled with sympathizing friends at the funeral of their infant daughter, Jane Haywood, yesterday afternoon. Rev. Mr. Pittenger, Rector of the church of the Good Shepherd, read the ritual of the Episcopal church and Rev. Dr. Watkins offered a prayer, after which the little casket was borne to Oakwood for interment, superintended by undertaker J. W. Brown. R. H. Brooks, James Thompson, S. G. Ryan and Alf Jones, Esq., acting as pall bearers.

The funeral services over the late R. G. Lewis were conducted at the First Baptist church by Dr. J. W. Carter, assisted by Rev. Mr. Cade. The pall bearers were Col. T. C. Fuller, Hon. J. J. Davis, Hon. Walter Clark, Armistead Jones, Esq., M. B. Barbee, Esq., Judge Geo. V. Strong, J. H. Alford, Esq., and T. H. Briggs, Esq. The body was interred in Oakwood cemetery, undertaker John W. Brown superintending.

State Certificates for Teachers.

The following Wake county teachers made state certificates at the institute conducted by Prof. E. A. Alderman in the city of Raleigh the first week in December: J. E. Ballentine, Varina; H. M. Oates, Morrisville; C. G. Oates, Garner; Capt. O. F. Siler, Holly Springs; Miss L. P. Yates, Raleigh; Miss Louie Jones, Cary.

Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 19.—Forecast for Virginia: Fair; easterly winds; slight changes in temperature.

For North Carolina: Warmer; fair; easterly winds.

Raleigh yesterday: Maximum temperature 51; minimum temperature 32; rainfall, 0.00.

Forecast for Raleigh and vicinity: Fair weather; warmer; change in weather probable on Monday.

COMING AND GOING.

Some of The Folks You Know and Their Doings.

Hon. T. J. Payne, of Alma, is in the city.

Dr. D. H. Abbott, of Vandemere, is here.

Hon. W. T. Caho, of Bayboro, is at the Yarboro.

Mr. H. A. London, of Pittsboro, was here yesterday.

Rev. N. S. Jones, of Salisbury, was in the city yesterday.

Miss Mary Miller, of Goldsboro, is stopping at the Yarboro.

Messrs. A. S. DeVorming and J. F. Wiley, of Durham, came down last evening.

Miss Emma Dowell who has been visiting at Williamston, returned home yesterday.

Messrs. R. H. Battle and F. H. Buebe returned yesterday from the Asheville convention.

Rev. N. B. Cobb and family, who have been residing at Cary for some time past, have moved here to live. Their new home is on Oakwood avenue.

Gov. Fowle returned from Asheville yesterday, where he attended the Interstate Immigration convention, and where he easily bore the honors as the orator and recipient of special favors.

Dr. S. W. Jacobs returned yesterday from New York where he has been for some days past in connection with the street railway. Some of the measures he has affected will be announced tomorrow.

LOCAL COTTON MARKET.

Movement of the Staple in Raleigh During the Past Week.

Two days of very bad weather during the past week had considerable influence in cutting short the total cotton receipts for the week. The market has been quite stiff, and as usual the highest prices to be obtained at any inland market prevailed here.

The cotton movement so far this year has been quite gratifying. The receipts to date have been 6,329 bales more than the total receipts for the whole of last year. This means that the crop has been between September 1st 1890 to December 19th 1890, turned over \$240,000 more than the total amount of money paid out for cotton for the whole of last year.

The receipts for last year were 21,500 bales.

For the four months of the current cotton year the total receipts have been 27,829 bales; and these figures do not include about 2,000 bales which are in store here and which have never been weighed and sold, and therefore not included in the receipts.

It is now safely estimated that the total receipts for the year will be 40,000 bales.

The following is the report:

Receipts for the week	1,216
Same week last year	1,375
Decrease from last year	159
Receipts to date from Sept. 1st	27,829
Same time last year	15,183
Increase over last year	12,646
Stock on platform	1,734
Shipments for the week	

A BAD SHOT.

The Man who Fired It is in Jail Awaiting Results.

Junius Johnston, of New Light township, is in jail here.

Two days ago he and F. P. Emery were in Lee Rochelle's bar room. They got into a dispute and some bad words were passed. It is reported that they were heated up by whisky.

Emery dared Johnston out of the room, telling him he would faze him if he would come. Johnston followed him out. Emery attacked him and Johnston drew a pistol and shot Emery just above the heart. He fell to the ground and was thought to have been fatally hurt. Johnston was arrested and jailed to await the result of the wound.

The latest reports received yesterday were to the effect that Emery was out of danger and would probably get well.

It has not been very long since a man named Rochelle was killed at this same barroom.

Mission Services.

Nearly fifty strangers attended the services at the Union Mission last night.

Mr. W. P. Fife feels such an interest in this work that he has sent to the Superintendent of the Mission twenty-five dollars to help continue the work for the year 1891. Who is it in the city that will send in their contributions to help in the work? Is it not worthy of Support? Every evening a messenger goes forth to invite the strangers, and they come and enjoy the services. The mission must have contributions to carry on the work. Who will respond? By the first of the year the managers must have sufficient funds to justify the leasing of the building for the year.

Married.

A large crowd filled West Market St. Methodist church Wednesday night to witness the marriage of Mr. Thos. G. Guthrie, mayor of Rockingham, and a popular young attorney, to Miss Rosie Wilson, one of Greensboro's fairest young women. She is the daughter of the late Rev. N. H. D. Wilson, D. D. The ceremony was performed by Rev. T. W. Guthrie, father of the groom, assisted by Rev. S. H. Hilliard.

Pocket Book Found.

A pocket book in which the name "Mrs. E. H. McPherson," is written has been picked up on the street by a Raleigh lady. The owner can obtain the pocket book and contents by applying to Chas. Root, Fayetteville St., Raleigh, N. C.

Brilliant Reception.

The reception given by Mrs. Julius Lewis last night, complimentary to Miss Mamie Heartt, Durham, and Miss Irving Seales, of Greensboro, was one of the very delightful social events of the season. Miss Etta Fanning also received with Misses Heartt and Seales.

A PRETTY GIRL JAILED.

For a Sad Criminal Offense—Afterwards Released on Bail.

Yesterday morning Mittie Ray, a pretty young married woman, not above seventeen years of age, was in Wake county jail.

She was charged with a criminal offense.

Last summer she was Mittie Walker. One day during the summer while in a field with her father she complained of being sick. Her father advised her to go home, telling her he would come on presently. She started.

When the father got home he did not find his girl. He instituted search, and soon found her very sick and in a very exhausted condition by the roadside. He took her home, and sent for a physician. The doctor made an examination and ascertained the father by telling him that his daughter had just given birth to an infant.

Another search was made and the infant was found in the woods near the roadside dead.

The coroner held an inquest and the facts were presented to the grand jury at the last term of court. The grand jury found a true bill against the girl, and a capias was issued for her arrest. The capias was not promptly served, and did not fall into the hands of Sheriff Page till this week. Then it was served. The girl was arrested and brought here and put in jail.

Since the occurrence the girl has married Mr. Green Ray, and her husband and father were here yesterday and effected her release from jail by giving a bond of \$200 for her appearance at court.

She is not charged with infanticide, but with concealing birth.

THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

The Board of Aldermen met in adjourned session last night, Mayor Thompson presiding. Present Alderman Latta, Leach, House, Ward, Lumsden, Bowles, Grimes, Parrish, Cowper, Robertson.

The resignation of Jas. H. Harris, colored as Alderman for the Fourth ward was presented and accepted.

License to sell liquor was granted for six months from the 1st of January 1891 as follows: Girsch & Stoneback, Johnson & Barber, two licenses, M. W. Woodward, S. T. Smith, Thos. R. Jones, B. J. Robertson, N. V. Denton, Thos. Harris, Robt. E. Parham, Bailey & Carroll, A. W. Fraps, Gramman & Rosenthal, J. R. Ferrall & Co., Eberhardt & Pescud, W. H. Ellis, W. T. Mabry, C. W. Hoover, Ed. V. Denton, L. N. White, L. J. Walker.

Quite a number of amendments to the ordinance regulating the fire department were recommended by the fire committee and adopted.

The city attorney advised the board to assess the amount of unpaid street paving now owing by property owners as taxes, and that the same be added on the tax lists of the city against such delinquent's property. Adopted.

The law prohibiting the sale of live stock upon the streets was amended by making the penalty for violation a fine of \$10.

A petition from the butchers in the market asking the board to adopt the stock yard of Messrs. Tonoffski & Sorrell as the place to sell all live stock was laid on the table.

The Street Railway ordinances were amended in several minor particulars. The right to carry freight, parcels and baggage was granted, and the extension of the tracks upon Martin from Fayetteville to Bount, and on Wilmington from Davis to Hargett was prohibited.

The two rooms in the east end of the basement of the City Building were ordered to be closed and that the same shall not be rented for use as restaurants after January 1st, 1891.

A bill for damages for sewer line running through Col. Heck's property near Oakwood cemetery was referred to committee on sewers.

FROM MR. SAM. C. WHITE.

It is Mrs. White who is Working Faithfully for her Husband's Pardon.

WAKE COUNTY WORK HOUSE, RALEIGH, Dec. 18, 1890.

ED. CHRONICLE—I see in the CHRONICLE of this date an article copied from the Charlotte News under the head of "A Faithful Wife," in which the writer stated that Mrs. C. E. Cross was on the point of leaving Charlotte for Washington in the interest of her husband. "That she had not seen her husband since the wreck of the bank, and that she had been working in a millinery store in Columbia, S. C., for some months."

I am sure the writer made a mistake in the name, and that it should have said Mrs. Sam. C. White, instead of Mrs. C. E. Cross. Mrs. White has not seen her husband in over a year. She has been working in a millinery store in Columbia, S. C., for some months, and was in Charlotte about the time the article was written, and has since gone to Washington. Mrs. Cross has never worked in a millinery store in Columbia, but has for the last two years lived with her husband's family in Gatesville. She has visited him twice since his incarceration, and is not now in Washington in his interest.

Will you please make the correction in the columns of your paper and give the honor which is due a poor suffering but loving and faithful wife.

If you will do this you will confer a lasting favor upon a true wife and a poor suffering man.

Very respectfully yours,

SAM. C. WHITE.

Notice.

OFFICE OF THE N. C. CAR CO., RALEIGH, N. C., Dec. 15, 1890.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the North Carolina Car Company will be held at the office of the company in this city on Thursday, the 15th day of January, 1891, at 12 o'clock m.

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How it will make your mouth water to shop at Barbee and Pope's.

Notice!

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the General Assembly of the State of North Carolina at its next session to incorporate a company with power to do a general banking business at Raleigh, and with all the powers usually granted to such corporations.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Go to A. E. Jordans for your Turkeys.

Fine Florida oranges at Barbee & Pope's.

Forty bunches bananas to-day, 75c. to \$1.25 per bunch, and 25c. per dozen at D. T. JOHNSON.

Dressed Turkeys at A. E. Jordans to-day.

Choice "Ben Davis" Apples at Barbee & Pope's.

"Compliments of the Season"

Is a very fine smoker, 25 in a box. Also "Live Indian," and other brands of cigars.

At EBERHARDT & PESCU'S

Best plain and French Candy at Barbee & Pope's.

W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.

Full Dress Wraps.

Just now, during the holidays, we are making special offers in our line of Ladies' Full Dress Wraps. They are lovely garments, and you can secure a great bargain.

W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.

Raisins, Nuts, &c., for Xmas at Barbee & Pope's.

25c Will get you 12 Cards, elegantly written. Black cards written in white. All the rage! Give me an order and see how nice they are.

G. P. JONES, Raleigh, N. C.

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W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.

Fur Rugs.

Animal Rugs in great variety, in full and half heads.

Goat and Lamb Rugs—all the desirable colors.

A splendid line to select a gift from.

W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.

Must Have It.

"Give me a Turner's N. C. Almanac. I want it for my dear old mother, who must have one every year. She has used it for fifty years, and can't get along without it. It is her standby. She plants all her seeds by it, and when there are crugs or colds, or other family afflictions, she always goes to the Old Reliable for her remedies. She will sit and read it through from beginning to end, over and over again during the year. The Bible and Turner's Almanac, these are standards at our home."

W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.

Gents' Lounging Robes and Jackets.

We are showing some very handsome Tailor-made Robes and Jackets for Gentlemen's wear. These goods are of superior workmanship, and the styles are the best.

An elegant gift.

W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.

For Winter Mornings.

Buckwheat and Maple Syrup, choicest Molasses and Breakfast Bacon, Broiling Beef, Finest Butter, Coffee, Chocolates, Breakfast Tea and all other essentials for a well furnished table.

EBERHARDT & PESCU.

W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.

A Dainty Gift.

At reduced prices, our line of Feather Collars &c. These are the loveliest things for neck wear that have brought out this season. A glance will convince you of the low prices.

W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.

Curtain Roles.

We have just received another lot of those 25c. Curtain Roles with brass fixtures, all colors. We have a few Plush Cloaks left, from \$15 to \$25 each. We offer the choice at \$12.50. This is a bargain. See them. Ten dozen Black Muffs at 50c. each—nice goods for the money; also another lot of those \$3.25 caps; also a few pieces of Floor Oil Carpets, 25c. and 30c. per yard. These goods sell for 50c. elsewhere. Do you need or want to buy a Carpet of any kind? We can suit you in every way, especially in price. Probably you would buy a Silk Umbrella if you could buy one way down low. If you would just take five minutes of your valuable time and come around to our store we will show you the handsomest line for the least money you ever saw in your whole life. We have a large line of these, and we have reduced the price to run them off during the Holidays. You will find in the lot almost any style you could wish, and we assure you the price will be entirely satisfactory to you. We believe in good goods at low prices and quick sales.

Phone 113.

AT SWINDELL'S.

W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.

Chairs.

Our assortment of chairs embrace every kind that style or comfort can suggest. Antique Oak, Bog Oak, XVI Century, Mahogany, Gilt Silver, &c., &c. We have a limited number of some specially handsome chairs for parlors, and we urge your immediate inspection of this particular lot.

W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.

A CARD.

YANCEYVILLE N. C., Dec. 8th, 1890.—I hereby announce myself a candidate for door-keeper of the Senate of the next General Assembly Democratic party as a member of the County Executive Committee and other wise of the county of Caswell for the last five years, most of the time as Secretary of the Committee and in the last campaign as its chairman, and now in the year of its most signal triumph, may I not ask most humble, yet honorable position, promising a faithful performance of its duties?

H. F. BRANDON.

The First Step.

Perhaps you are run down, can't eat, can't sleep, can't think, can't do anything to your satisfaction, and you wonder what ails you. You should heed the warning; you are taking the first step toward Nervous Prostration. You need a Nerve Tonic, and in Electric Bitters you will find the exact remedy for restoring your nervous system to its normal, healthy condition. Surprising results follow the use of this great Nerve Tonic and Alterative. Your appetite returns, good digestion is restored, and the Liver and Kidneys resume healthy action. Try a bottle. Price 50c., at John Y. MacRae's drug-store.

THE WORLD'S COMMERCE.

New York, December 19.—Messrs. Hubbard, Price & Company in their cotton circular to-night say: "Our cable advices are rather against the market should the receipts continue at the present scale. At the close the market was dull at an improvement on the immediate, though unchanged on the late deliveries."

Receipts at the ports to-day were estimated at 42,000 bales, against 48,059 bales last week, and 32,646 bales the same week last year.

Spot cotton is dull at former quotations; middling uplands 9 3/8; sales of 541 bales.

Transactions in futures to-day were 60,000 bales.

Futures closed firm at 1 to 8 points higher, as follows:

City.	Sale.	Tone.	Market.	Reet.	Exp.
Galveston	552	Firm	9 1-4	4897	5606
Norfolk	2239	Dull	9 0-0	3420	....
Baltimore	....	Nom.	9 1-4	....	....
Boston	....	Quiet	9 3-8	....	....
Wilmington	....	Dull	9 3-4	....	....
Philadelphia	....	Quiet	9 7-8	1057	948
Savannah	701	Steady	8 1-2	58	6
New Orleans	9 00	Easy	8 15-16	5894	2269
Mobile	1009	Quiet	8 15-16	143	....
Memphis	6714	Easy	9 0-0	53	....
Augusta	263	Quiet	9 1-0	1088	....
Louisville	....	Steady	9 1-8	....	....
St. Louis	6 00	Quiet	8 15-16	3296	....
Charleston	....	Steady	9 1-2	3474	1385
Cincinnati	1110	Steady	9 1-4	1174	....

In Liverpool to-day spot cotton was steady; middling uplands 5 3-16d; sales 8,000 bales.

Futures closed steady, as follows:

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